

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 23 as follows:**

As mentioned above, the conventional rotation type camera apparatus is commonly a monitoring or surveillance camera, which is installed only on a ceiling and does not have a structure for installation by standing or being placed or put on something like a desk or the like. Indeed, a surveillance camera has been previously and occasionally installed ~~to~~on a wall, but then a dedicated attachment to make a shelf is necessary as mentioned above. Therefore, the conventional rotation type camera apparatus is not suited for installation by standing and installation by hanging on a wall.

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 2 as follows:**

The camera rotation device 10 can rotate upon a pan axis Y in a pan direction and upon a tilt axis X in a tilt direction. In the following description, an arrangement of ~~the~~ FIG. 3 will be regarded as a standard and a direction along the pan axis Y is referred to as an up/down direction and a direction along the tilt axis X is referred to as a right/left direction. Also, a direction perpendicular to the tilt axis X in the horizontal plain is referred to as a front/back direction or a forward/backward direction.

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 19, line 13 as follows:**

As described above, ~~in~~in comparison with conventional devices which have the motor separate from the rotation mechanism, this structure of mounting the motor on the rotated side reduces space for mounting the motor and allows a smaller and lighter rotation device.

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 29, line 7 as follows:**

A conventional camera rotation device sets its pan rotation axis based on a shooting window. Therefore, if the shooting window is inclined as in the preferred embodiment and if the conventional camera rotation device is applied as is, the pan rotation axis also inclines. With the pan rotation axis being inclined, a viewer's eyes run

up and down along an arch line during pan rotation, as if the viewer is following a path of the sun, a star, or the like across the sky. A viewer does not feel that such image is natural.